## **Teachers!**

Announcing the 20<sup>th</sup> annual George Washington Carver Art and Essay Contest for all fourth grade students!

All fourth grade students are invited to participate in this fun program that encourages creativity in communication arts and fine arts.

#### The theme:

# If George Washington Carver were my teacher...

### FREE Lessons! GLEs addressed! Classroom Visits!

GLEs Missouri Grade Level Expectations addressed:

CA: 1.A.4; 2.B.4; 2.C.4; 2.E.4; 3.C.4

FA: 2.A, 3.A, 1.B, 2.B, 3.B, 2.C, 1E, 1G, 3.G, F.A.I, .FA.2, F.A.3, V.A.I, V.A.2, V.A.3

**FREE LESSONS** to enhance your students' knowledge of Carver's artistic abilities are available at <a href="https://www.nps.gov/gwca">www.nps.gov/gwca</a>. Select the For Teachers link and find lesson plans including Discovering George Washington Carver: A Man of Character and Carver – the Artist.

**CLASSROOM VISITS** by park volunteers are available upon request during January and February to explain the Art & Essay Contest to your students. Just call the park to set up an appointment.

ESSAYS are judged on creativity, knowledge of facts, legibility, expression of theme, and spelling- capitalization- punctuation.

ART is judged on creativity, originality, technical ability, and expression of theme.

## ENTRY DEADLINE for all submissions is February 12, 2010.

Entries may be delivered to the park or postmarked no later than this date. Please review the enclosed contest rules carefully. If there are questions, please contact the monument at 417-325-4151.

**AWARDS** include U.S. Savings Bonds, trophies, ribbons, or certificates and will be given to students during the awards ceremony at the park on March 27<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.

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